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Applicant: Chaco

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SYSTEM AND METHOD

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Dear Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, Applicant respectfully  
requests entry of the following amendments.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-20.

Please add new claims 1-23 as follows:

21. ☒ An object monitoring system, including:  
a first transmitter for transmitting a first ID; and  
a transceiver module having a receiver for receiving the first ID to  
electronically associate the first transmitter with the transceiver module by generating a first  
stored ID.

22. ☒ The system of claim 21 wherein the transceiver module indicates an alarm  
condition by comparing the first ID to the first stored ID.

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